State of California Regional Water Quality Control Board San Diego Region

SUPPLEMENTAL

EXECUTIVE OFFICER SUMMARY REPORT October 12, 2005

ITEM: 9

SUBJECT: Modification of a California Water Code Section

13225/13267/13383 Directive to the County of Orange, Orange County Flood Control District, Cities of Laguna Beach, Laguna Hills, Laguna Niguel, Laguna Woods, Lake Forest and Mission Viejo (Dischargers) for implementation of an action plan to address elevated bacteria levels in the Aliso Creek Watershed.

(Jeremy Haas)

SUPPLEMENTAL DISCUSSION:

The following information supplements the Executive Officer Summary Report. On September 23, 2005 the Regional Board notified interested persons of the request to modify the Aliso Creek bacteria monitoring program. Interested persons were notified that written comments received before October 6 would be provided to the Regional Board. The Surfrider Foundation, Laguna Beach Chapter provided a comment during the comment period, and it is included with a response in this supplemental mailing. The commenter was in general support of the request to revise the monitoring program and offered several recommendations.

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS:

- 6. Comment received from the Surfrider Foundation, Laguna Beach Chapter, regarding the request to modify the Aliso Creek bacteria monitoring program.
- 7. Response to written comment from the Surfrider Foundation.
- 8. Comment received from the South Laguna Civic Association.

RECOMMENDATION: Direction to the Executive Officer to modify the Aliso Creek

bacteria monitoring program as requested by the Dischargers is

recommended.